

PRESIDENT WILL DELIVER SPEECH THIS AFTERNOON

Deadlock in House is Broken and Gillett Elected Speaker

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Sixty-eighth Congress was organized today with the breaking of the two day deadlock in the house over the speakership, and it will receive President Coolidge's first annual message tomorrow.

The president will address congress in person at 12:30 o'clock at a joint session in the house chamber.

Although congress now is ready to function, little can be done in the way of legislation until after the Christmas holidays.

Committees of both the house and senate have yet to be organized and they must pass on all important measures before there can be action by either house.

The break leading to the re-election of Speaker Gillett on the first ballot today came after Republican insurgents had satisfied themselves that there would be opportunity next month to offer amendments to house rules.

Given this assurance on the floor by Representative Longworth of Ohio, the Republican leader, the group which for eight ballots had supported either Representatives Cooper of Wisconsin, or Madden, Illinois, flocked almost solidly to Gillett, giving him a majority of eight votes.

Final Result.
The result showed:
Gillett, Republican—215.
Garrett, Democrat—197.
Madden, Republican—2.
James of Michigan and Reid, Illinois, Republicans, stuck to Madden to the last. Berger, Socialist, Wisconsin, Kvale, Independent Minnesota and Wefald, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota, voted "present."

On all the previous ballots Kvale and Wefald had voted for Cooper but Berger had supported none of the candidates.

The senate, meeting at noon, again was unable to function pending organization of the house and remained in session just two minutes. After adjournment many of its members flocked to the house chamber to witness the end of the speakership fight. The galleries were crowded, and for the first time since the deadlock developed there was a tenseness among the spectators and members.

The word was out that the insurgents had abandoned their fight, but there was a last minute flurry as their chairman, Representative Nelson, Wisconsin, insisted that Mr. Longworth reaffirm on the floor the terms of the agreement regarding the amendment of rules which was reached at the conference last night between the Republican leader and the leaders of the insurgent group.

Mr. Nelson read to the house a statement embodying the insurgents' interpretation of the agreement and Mr. Longworth said the interpretation was correct.

Will Take Recess.
After President Coolidge delivers his message tomorrow it is the intention of Republican house leaders to have three days recess until the various standing committees can be organized and are ready to report.

The Republican committee on committees will meet Friday to begin its task of assigning Republicans to committees.

It also will determine the number of Democrats who will have places on each committee and this decision will enable the minority to hold a caucus for the selection of its members on the way and means committee who will in turn make the other selections.

In the senate the Republican committee on committees probably will not complete its task of making committee assignments until next week.

DEFENDANT IN ROBBERY CASE FREED BY JUDGE

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 5.—Frank Stagner, St. Louis, one of the six defendants on trial in connection with the Chicago & Alton mail robbery here last April was freed today. Judge FitzHenry, in the federal court, after finding evidence did not sufficiently connect Stagner with the plot and discharged him as one of the defendants. Because of a belief that there might be an attempt to forcibly release the other five defendants, armed guards were placed about the court room today. The trial will probably continue the remainder of the week.

SUNDAY BEGINS HARDING MEMORIAL WEEK

Washington, Dec. 5.—A letter signed by Secretary Hughes, the Harding Memorial association announced today, has been sent to clergymen throughout the country asking them to join in the movement for a memorial to the late President Harding by making Sunday, December 9, the beginning of that has been designated as Harding Memorial week.

THINKS HAGUE COURT IDEA PREFERABLE TO LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Senator Moses Discusses the
Question at Annual
Dinner

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Development of a world court at The Hague in place of that set up under the League of Nations was proposed here tonight by Senator Moses, of New Hampshire, in an address at the annual dinner of the American Association of Woolen Manufacturers.

Senator Moses, "irreconcilable" of the senate foreign relations committee and chairman of the Republican Senatorial campaign committee is understood to have discussed his views with other Republican leaders in the senate in connection with the pending world court proposal from President Harding.

Stating that America had sponsored The Hague Tribunal, Senator Moses asked:

"Why should we turn our back upon a child of our own creation in order to fondle the rag dolls of foreign diplomacy?"

Senator Moses declared the world court could not be "disentangled from the League of Nations by a reservation or any textual amendment short of the destruction of the entire protocol."

Want No Entanglement.
"Like the treaty of Versailles," he said, "the league court carries obligations and implications which the United States cannot undertake—unless we are prepared to repudiate the verdict of 1919 and to take the first step in a path which leads to the vortex of close and inescapable entanglement in European problems."

"Yet those of us who recognize the facts and who have the temerity to state them are accused of mere obstruction and are taunted with having no constructive plan to offer as against one which promises so high a return."

"But from my point of view I look beyond the proposed league court and I see another tribunal in the creation of which the United States had no small part and to strengthening of which the later made the greatest contribution suggestion. The Hague Tribunal, of which I am speaking, has a long and honored record."

"And, because of this record, to my mind The Hague tribunal now, as far as its inception presents a firm foundation upon which to erect, it such a structure is necessary, an international temple of justice to which all peoples may repair, knowing that its benefit shall be impeded from all countries signatory to The Hague treaties without submitting its judges to the indignity of running the gauntlet of any council or assembly whose authority has already been disdained and flouted."

WORLD WAR HERO TO RETIRE WITH HONORS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Sergeant Samuel Woodfill, named by General Pershing as the outstanding hero of the world war, will retire from the army, this month, after thirty-three years in the highest non-commissioned grade, through the voluntary action of three of his seniors in rank.

MANY CAUSES GIVEN FOR HOUSING SHORTAGE

Philadelphia, Dec. 5.—Profiteering, irregular employment, the unwillingness of banking institutions to lend money on real estate and the failure of contractors to employ apprentices were blamed for the countrywide housing shortage by speakers tonight before the ninth national conference of housing in America. Declaring labor wants the responsibility for high housing costs placed where it belongs, Hugh Frayne, general organizer of the American Federation of Labor, laid it at the door of every element, other than the building trades, entering into the construction of the building. He asserted there was profiteering in the purchase of land, the transfer of title in money costs and in contractors, architects and engineers charges, but he said the public knew nothing of it.

FIVE HUNDRED LIVES LOST IN DAM DISASTER

Rome, Dec. 5.—Minister of Public Works Carnazza informed the cabinet today that the fatalities in the flood of Saturday in the Bergamo Valley aggregated about 500 and that the material damage was estimated at between 130,000,000 and 150,000,000 lire. He urged that measures be taken to indemnify peasants for losses sustained or to aid them in re-establishing their farms and businesses.

The cabinet unanimously approved the suggestions of the minister.

SURPLUS SUPPLY OF OIL WILL BE SOON CONSUMED

Director Says Over- production Will Last Half Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The "present period of over production" in the oil industry will end by the middle of 1924, Dr. H. Foster Bain, director of the United States bureau of mines, predicted today in testifying before the senate public lands committee in inquiry into the leasing of government oil reserves. He based the prediction, he said, on opinions of experts in which judgment he had implicated confidence.

Discussion of the market conditions grew out of efforts of Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, to obtain from the witness an estimate as to the period in which the government might feel confident of obtaining in the open market almost any quantity of oil for storage as reserves.

"It is hard to state a definite figure," the director said. "If the government would be willing to pay the price demanded it should have no difficulty certainly for a reasonable number of years. Men in whom I have every confidence believe the present surplus will be met by consumption by the middle of next year. It is a fact that every company which has the capital is now storing all it can and selling as little as possible at prevailing prices."

Dr. Bain said he was present at Three Rivers, N. M., the home of Albert B. Fall, then secretary of the interior in December 1921, on the occasion of the visit of Harry F. Sinclair, later the lessor of Reserve No. 3 in Wyoming. Mr. Bain said he made the trip to carry a draft of the proposed storage construction contract and was not aware of Mr. Sinclair's presence until they met at the local station. He understood, the director said, that the oil magnet had come to discuss questions affecting leases of Osage Indian lands and had taken up the Teapot Dome lease only incidentally.

CHANGE TO BE MADE IN ORGANIZATION OF U. S. VET. BUREAU

By New Plan 50,000 Cases
May be Reviewed
First Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Complete re-organization of the central board of appeals of the veterans' bureau in order to expedite the hearing today by Director Hines as one of the first steps in a general readjustment of bureau activities. Although change announced in the organization was the creation of a finance service, with separate divisions of disbursing and accounting, headed by Harold W. Breining, an assistant director of the bureau.

The primary purpose of the general plan of reorganization Director Hines explained is to relieve him to give greater attention to the planning and controlling of the bureau's operations.

The personnel of the central board of appeals is to be increased from seven to seventeen members, divided into four sections, with one chairman over all. While one section is hearing cases of claimants, the other three it was said will carry forward, without the interruption necessary under the present system, the consideration and disposition of cases already heard.

Director Hines said the new arrangement would be put into effect within ten days and that he thought it would be possible thereby to review probably 50,000 cases in the first year.

LOWDEN IS HEAD OF DAIRY FEDERATION

Chicago, Dec. 5.—An organization to be known as the National Dairy Federation which it was said will include all national organizations and associations related in any way to the dairy industry, was formed here today by 150 representatives of producers and manufacturers of dairy products.

Former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois was elected president of the federation. J. D. Miller of New York, was elected vice-president and J. D. Hollowell of Chicago was treasurer.

MINE WORKERS HEAD DENIES STRIKE REPORT

Saratoga, Pa., Dec. 5.—Rinaldo Cappellini, president of District 1, United Mine Workers of America, tonight discredited reports that general strikes of mine workers employed at the Hudson Coal company and Lehigh Valley Coal company collieries were probable. Approximately 37,000 miners are employed by both producers.

The situation is well in hand and altho there is much talk of general walkouts it was decided definitely that the anthracite operations will not be crippled by a general strike, President Cappellini stated.

Man Pronounced Dead Found and Arrested

NAPA, Calif., Dec. 5.—The young woman taken into custody here today with Edward J. Sallstad at the request of the authorities at Superior, Wis., tonight admitted to District Attorney Thomas Angelin that she was Miss Dorothy Anderson, Sallstad's stenographer, and that she left Eau Claire with him and had aided him in his plans for disappearing.

NAPA, Calif., Dec. 5. (AP)—Edward J. Sallstad former Eau Claire, Wis., phonograph dealer arrested here today for Wisconsin authorities in connection with the burning of a house and the discovery of a body in the ashes in Lake Nebagamon in October, 1919, tonight confessed to burning the house, according to District Attorney Thomas C. Angelin of Napa county.

Sallstad was taken into custody by Sheriff J. R. Harrison on telegraphic information received from the authorities at Superior, Wis. With Sallstad when he was apprehended was a young woman, purported to be his wife, but who later told District Attorney Angelin her name was Mary Brown and that she had met Sallstad in Chicago, late in December, 1919, and that she had come west with him.

NAVAL POLAR PLANS DISCUSSED AT FIRST MEETING OF COUNCIL

Begin Work Assembling
Data to Decide Start-
ing Date

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The special planning board for the Navy Polar expedition held its first meeting today with Rear Admiral William A. Moffet, chief of the Navy air service, presiding. Organization of the board was perfected, the only absent member being commander Fitzhugh Green who is expected to be present when the board continues its work tomorrow.

After a conference with Secretary Denby the board members got to work assembling data upon which the date of the flight will be determined. For that purpose Lieutenant F. W. Reichelderfer, meteorological officer of the bureau of aeronautics was called upon for all available data as to weather conditions in the Polar regions.

Weather conditions also will play an important part in determining whether the great airship Shenandoah will be used for the journey or whether the dash by air will be made exclusively in Navy planes equipped to land on and rise from the ice.

Secretary Denby's instructions to the board direct that the big airship is to be used if the board is certain that there will not be undue risk of loss of the ship through storms or other unfavorable conditions.

It was emphasized by officers connected with the project however, that the decision to make a purely naval flight to the pole in no way detracted from support by the navy department of the expedition attempt to be made in the spring by Anderson, the Norwegian explorer.

Lieutenant R. E. Davison of the navy has been assigned to accompany the Norwegian expedition.

ALIENS ENTER BY UNDERGROUND ROUTE

SARNIA, Ont., Dec. 5.—Scores of aliens are transported from Canada across the St. Clair river in launches and row boats under cover of darkness and taken by motor to Detroit, United States immigration officials said tonight.

The asserted that more than 500 foreigners, were at Wallaceburg, Ontario, awaiting transportation across the border by the "underground" route.

An organized band was reported operating further down the river at Marine City and Algonia. It was declared they were reaping large profits by smuggling aliens into the United States who had landed in Canada to avoid being turned back by the authorities at New York or other seaports along the Atlantic coast.

American officials have organized a sharp lookout and predicted tonight that arrests might be made soon. The streets of Wallaceburg, they said were filled with immigrants.

BANDITS ROB TAXI DRIVER AND GARAGE

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 5.—Two bandits tonight entered a taxi-cab, forced the driver to take them to the outskirts of the city where they left him, and returned to the city and robbed the Centennial Garage, near the state capitol. The pair were pursued in another car and abandoned the stolen taxi near the state house and escaped thru the state house lawn. The total loot taken from the taxi driver and the garage was not over \$50.

In his purported confession Sallstad told how he had exhumed the body of Allen McFee in Lake Nebagamon Cemetery, Douglas county, Wis., taken it to a house he had rented in that place and then burned the dwelling. The authorities here announced after Sallstad's arrest that he was wanted on charges of murder and arson. Later it was said he was wanted for arson only.

District Attorney Angelin said tonight that Sallstad at first declined to make a statement but that later he broke down and confessed.

Angelin said Sallstad admitted his identity and said he left a wife and two children in Wisconsin.

"Sallstad said during the year 1919 he saw the Multitone Phonograph company of which he was president was due for a crash and he felt very keenly the fact that many of his friends and relatives were interested in the concern," Angelin said.

"He said he then determined to drop out of sight and decided to wait until somebody died in the neighborhood of about his stature and without relatives or friends, and to substitute the body for his own."

IOWA, ILLINOIS, AND INDIANA TO BATTLE FOR PRIZE ON CORN

Champion Hereford Bull
Tips Scales at More
Than Ton

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Good Stanway II, with a long string of blue ribbons, sweepstake prizes and champions to his credit added still more to his glories today when he was declared Grand Champion and Senior Champion of Hereford Bulls at the International Livestock Show.

The new king of the Herefords weighs more than 2400 pounds, was born April 9, 1919, was sired by Bright Stanway and his dam was Good Lady 130th. He is owned by E. M. Cassidy & Son, Whiting, Iowa.

Antone Charmer owned by J. W. Larabee & Sons, Earlville, Ill., was declared the grand champion Red Polled Bull.

Purity, a milking Shorthorn, won the championship of her class by giving 31.8 pounds of milk in the ring. She is owned by R. R. Clamplitt, New Providence, Iowa.

Corn King honors will be fought out tomorrow with eight men, four from Indiana, two from Illinois and two from Iowa, conceded to have the Royal Honors in their midst. These eight have captured first honors in regions three and four from which all corn kings have come. They will match their champion sets of ten ears tomorrow.

Devere Mummert, Astoria, Illinois and Claude R. Malsbury, Virden, Illinois, took first respectively on yellow white corn in region four west.

John Justice, Ankeny, Iowa, and Krizer Brothers, Eddyville, Iowa, took first respectively on white and yellow in region three west.

These will compete with Indiana sweepstakes winners, A. F. Troyer, LaFontaine; W. D. Littlejohn, Kentland; L. M. Vogler, Hope and Ed Lux, of Waldron, brother of Peter J. Lux, twice winner of the national prize.

CONSIDERS REMITTAL OF FINE AS PARDON

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Comptroller Charles L. Craig announced tonight that he considered the document signed today by President Coolidge a "pardon" from his sentence to sixty days in jail for contempt of court which was imposed by Federal Judge Mayer in connection with Brooklyn Rapid Transit receivership proceedings. The comptroller said, however, he would not decide whether to accept or reject the "pardon" until he had received an official copy of the document.

Today's statement was the first Mr. Craig has made since word came from Washington that President Coolidge upon recommendation of Attorney General Daugherty had remitted his sentence.

EQUAL REPRESENTATION WANTED BY WOMEN

Cleveland, O., Dec. 5.—(A. P.)—A movement, fulfillment of which would give women equal representation with men on the legislative bodies of the Presbyterian church of the United States was disclosed during today's sessions of the National Presbyterian conference here.

A petition embodying a request for such representation has been forwarded to the general assembly of the church by the executive board of the Women's Missionary Society of Cincinnati, Mrs. Mary Louise Blann, its president announced. It also is being circulated among members of the societies of other Presbyteries.

BIG BOOTLEGGER GETS TWO YEARS AND HEAVY FINE

Ten of Fellow Con- spirators Also Re- ceive Sentence

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—A bribe of \$100,000 was offered prosecutors if they would "lay off" the case against Emanuel ("Man-nie") Kessler, "king of the bootleggers" it was announced tonight by Major John Holly Clark, assistant United States district attorney who obtained a conviction that today brought a sentence of two years in prison and payment of a \$10,000 fine for Kessler.

Ten of Kessler's fellow conspirators also were sentenced. Kessler was sentenced to two years on each of the following charges:

Conspiring to defraud the government of customs duties; conspiring to violate the prohibition law, and for unlawfully removing liquor from a bonded warehouse.

The court, however, ruled that the sentences run concurrently. Major Clark said the offer was not made directly by the Kessler crowd, but thru a lawyer friend. He did not say whether he would take action against the alleged briber.

Assistant Federal Attorney Falk who assisted Major Clark in preparation and trial of the case, said that efforts also had been made to bribe him to throw the case.

METHODIST BISHOP DIES IN SOUTH

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 5.—Bishop James Atkins, for more than a quarter of a century a leading figure in the Methodist Episcopal church, South, died here tonight.

Bishop Atkins was stricken with paralysis late Monday night and his death had been expected momentarily for the past 36 hours. A few hours after he was stricken, the prelate lapsed into a state of coma and late Tuesday his physicians announced that he could not live. His condition remained unchanged until shortly before 11 o'clock tonight when the physicians warped that death was near.

A few minutes later the bishop passed away.

Bishop Atkins came to this city last week to preside over the annual sessions of the Little Rock conference. He became ill last Wednesday and was forced to retire temporarily. Bishop H. M. Dubois of San Francisco took over his official duties and presided over the conference until Sunday when Bishop Atkins resumed his post and read the appointments at the final session. Although apparently recovered from his illness the bishop determined to remain here a few days to regain his strength.

Mrs. Atkins came to Little Rock with her husband last week and was with him at the end. Their three children arrived today.

HOUSTON MURDERER GETS LIFE SENTENCE

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 5.—"We, the jury, find the defendant guilty of murder as charged and assess his punishment at life in the penitentiary."

"I would rather have the chair!"

Holding out his hands for the fastening of the handcuffs about his wrists, George Vexenat still insisted he wanted to die for the murder of his sweetheart, Louise Floquet, moving picture employee—although a faint smile appeared on his face as the verdict of the jury giving him life imprisonment instead of death was read at 3:47 p. m. today.

"Give him not only what he asks for, but that which he so richly deserves—the death penalty," had been the closing plea of Earle Adams, Jr., assistant attorney.

YARBROUGH ACQUITTED ON RIOTING CHARGE

Macon, Ga., Dec. 5.—Dr. C. A. Yarbrough was acquitted of the charge of rioting in connection with middle Georgia floggings by a jury here early tonight.

The jury had been out 24 hours.

This is the fourth trial of Dr. Yarbrough. At the first trial he was acquitted. The next two trials were mistrials.

The jury hearing the case of J. F. Alexander, alleged flogger, on trial on a charge of assault and battery, was taken from the court room while the Yarbrough jury made its report.

UNMASKED BANDITS MAKE RICH HAUL

Kansas City, Dec. 5.—Three unmasked bandits held up the Marlborough State Bank in an outlying district here late today and escaped in a motor car with \$2,200.

SELECT JURY TO TRY WOMAN CHARGED WITH KILLING OF HUSBAND

Admitted She Fired Shots
At Trial of Son-in-
Law

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Dec. 5. (AP)—The jury, which will try Mrs. Myna Wertz, charged with the murder of her husband, was sworn in late this afternoon after three days of examining witnesses and the introduction of state's evidence will be started tomorrow morning.

Nine farmers, two carpenters and one printer will decide the fate of the defendant.

Special prosecutor Henry G. Walker delivered the opening argument late this afternoon and outlined the case which the state will attempt to prove to secure the conviction of the alleged husband slayer, who admitted at the trial of her son-in-law Robert Leeper, last spring, that she fired the shots which killed her husband.

Leeper is now serving a life sentence for the murder and the state will attempt to prove that Mrs. Wertz conspired with Leeper and his wife, formerly Miss Beryl Wertz, daughter of the slain man and the defendant in this case.

Mr. Walker stated in his argument that the prosecution will show that Wertz was shot twice, once while standing and again after he had fallen to the floor from the effects of the first shot. This is intended to contradict allegations of the defense that the shots were fired in self-defense. The state will also attempt to establish that there was a strong enmity between Wertz and Leeper and that Mrs. Wertz sided with Leeper, and intends to clinch the case with evidence that Leeper told several friends of plans he had to murder Wertz, and to do away with his boy and that Mrs. Wertz would take all the blame for the act and plead self-defense.

PREMIER OF ENGLAND MAKES BRIEF APPEAL ON EVE OF ELECTION

Results of Today's Elections
Will be Known
Friday

LONDON, Dec. 5. (AP)—On the eve of polling day, premier Baldwin issued what is assuredly one of the simplest and briefest election appeals in the history of British electioneering. In it he says:

"I appeal to my fellow countrymen and women to give me their support today in the fight against unemployment. I ask this for their own sake and for the sake of the rising generation."

(Signed) "Stanley Baldwin."

Tomorrow will give him his answer from the country, for the results of some 195 of the 540 constituencies to be polled will be known tomorrow night and should suffice to give an indication of how the election is going. They are chiefly the great London and provincial boroughs but a sufficient sprinkling of county results will be announced tomorrow night to show the trend of the rural vote.

Virtually the complete results will be known Friday night. No general election of recent years has been such a leap in the dark. Mr. Winston Churchill has ventured the prediction that if protection is defeated at this election it will not be proposed again for a whole generation.

RADIO TO BROADCAST PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5. (AP)—The voice of President Coolidge, addressing congress tomorrow, will be carried over a greater portion of the United States and will be heard by more people than the voice of any man in history.

Arrangements were completed tonight for broadcasting the president's address as delivered in the chamber of the house of representatives thru six powerful radio stations and it is expected by the engineers in charge that fully a million people will hear Mr. Coolidge speak.

The broadcasting will begin at 12:30 P. M.

OFFICERS OF OIL COMPANY ENTER PLEAS OF GUILTY

Houston, Texas, Dec. 5. (A. P.)—Selection of a jury to try four defendants charged with using the United States mails to defraud in connection with operations of the Blue Bird Oil corporation was completed in federal court here this afternoon after Henry Hoffmann, former president of the company, John H. Cain, Houston and M. M. Leacett, and H. J. Messe, Chicago, had entered pleas of guilty.

The four men to be tried and the four who pleaded guilty were named in the same indictment with eleven others who failed to appear for trial. Four of the eleven have not been arrested while the other seven are fighting removal proceedings from the northern district of Illinois.

DAVIS WILL RUN IN PRESIDENTIAL RACE IF WANTED

Governor Leaves Mat- ter to Wishes of Democrats

GREAT BEND, Kans., Dec. 5. (A. P.)—Governor J. M. Davis of Kansas is "willing to abide by the wishes of the Democrats of this state if they desire that I enter the larger field of running for president," he announced here tonight in addressing a rally of seventh district Democrats. "I do not want to be regarded in the light of seeking the nomination and furthermore I am saying now that I shall not seek it," Governor Davis asserted. "I do not want these enthusiastic friends to feel that I am not appreciative but I seriously doubt the wisdom and expediency of their actions. However, if they desire that I enter the larger field of running for president, I am also willing to abide by their wishes."

Governor Davis sketched briefly some of the possible issues of the approaching national campaign and tersely outlined his stand upon each of them.

The Fordney-McCumber tariff law should be revised, he said, as one of "the prime essentials of national prosperity" in such a manner as would most effectively aid agricultural conditions.

"Eight rate reductions are essential," a national soldier bonus, paid by surtaxes, "assessed against the rich" would be "justice to the boys who waged war against our former enemy" and a "sane constructive readjustment of the entire system of governmental activities should be made to the end that the burden of taxation should be removed from business" in the opinion of the Kansas executive.

Governor Davis also said he favored world peace "either by the league of nations or by some other route," enforcement of national prohibition, abolition or curtailment of issuance of tax exempt securities, and a "primary system for selection of the president of the United States."

MILKMEN TO POSE AS GOOD OLD SANTA

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Several hundred modern prototypes of Santa Claus will travel the streets and alleys of Chicago this Christmas eve giving out presents and good wishes but they won't be dressed as old Saint Nicholas as in pictured song and story. Instead of the red fur trimmed suit they will wear white uniforms, the whiskers and "tummy" will be absent, and their sleighs will be modern milk wagons.

The 4,500 milk wagon drivers of the city and the 2,400 men and women working in dairies, barns and offices of the milk industry in the Chicago area, will play Santa to the families too poor to buy milk.

Already their fund has exceeded \$8,000 and is still growing. Milk men should know when a family is down and out, the Chicago drivers declare, for when a family is so poor it stops buying milk the "wolf is camping on the door step."

ONCE FILE CLERK NOW STUNT FLYER

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 5.—Any achievement of daring is possible to a woman, according to Miss Lillian Boyer, stunt flyer, and member of the Aero Club of Illinois. All that is necessary is that the woman keep fit, keep her nerve and think quickly. Miss Boyer said. In her opinion, nerve, strength and alert judgment are not determined by sex.

"Two years ago I was filing letters in a Chicago office and hardly knew what a plane was," she said. "One Sunday I accepted an invitation to take a flight, and the following Wednesday

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Now a real reform has been started and a Mr. Johnson has been given the job of commissioner, with authority to issue "clean up" orders. The recent good news is to the effect that the managers of carnivals and sideshows have declared that clean shows draw bigger gate receipts, so they are going to do away with revolting monstrosities, indecent exhibits, games of chance

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A THOUGHT
Whose diggett a pit shall fall therein; and he that rolleth a stone, it will return upon him.—Prov. 26:27.
O! Lady, we receive but what we give, And in our life alone doth nature live; Ours is her wedding garment, ours her shroud! —Coleridge
with money prizes and other features that are objectionable.
Mr. Johnson is said to have the same authority over showmen that Will Hays has in the motion picture world and Commissioner Landis in baseball.
The deadlock over the speaker-ship in congress is over, the progressives having won the right to unlimited debate on the revision of the rules. With more talking this session of congress will probably be even longer than usual.
Mr. Looney declares that he will fight to the last ditch to prevent his return to Rock Island for trial. We don't much blame him for this reluctance to return to his own home city.
Almost every week there is a story of some new party of railroad officials inspecting the C. & St. L. Certainly from all this group of prospects some real buyer with intentions of operating the road will eventually emerge.
The city plan fund lacks about \$1,500 of the complete quota. However, that is not a great sum when the value of the proposed work is considered. Anyhow, recent weather conditions have not been propitious for soliciting.
THE TAX ISSUE
It was taxation that caused our Revolutionary War and brought this country into existence as a separate nation. Taxation, in one form or another, has played a big part in our history all along. Taxation is the

biggest issue today, in the mind of the public if not in the mind of the politicians.
If any persons doubt that, let him ask any given number of citizens, taken at random, what they are most interested in at Washington just now. It is a safe bet that a majority will say, "Tax reduction."
This is not a partisan issue, or ought not to be. Nearly every body in both parties wants lower taxes, with the easing up of the cost of living and the presumable improvement of business conditions that lower taxes would bring. It is inconceivable that either of the big parties should oppose tax reduction on principle, though there is always the possibility of one party or the other, or even both of them together, voting for expenditures that would make lower taxes impossible.
There is some talk at Washington now, started in the Senate, of Republicans and Democrats trying to come to agreement in order to insure a safe majority for tax reduction.
EDUCATION A BIG BUSINESS
College education itself seems to have become a "big business," and our American universities rank with the "trusts" in financial power and influence.
This reflection is inspired by the statement that one American university alone, Columbia, in New York City, has a working capital of over \$2,000,000 of which about \$13,000,000 has been accumulated the past year. The endowments of five American universities, Columbia, Harvard, Yale, Chicago and Leland Stanford, now aggregate about a quarter of a billion dollars.
If to all private institutions of higher learning are added the state universities, which are supported by taxation and require no endowments, the university investment of the United States may be as great as that of the Steel Trust.
Like the other forms of big business, the colleges are going in for standardization and quantity production. Columbia has enough students to make a good-sized city, if they were separated from the metropolis. Dozens of other universities have students' bodies running into the thousands. One California University has 10,000 this year in the entering class alone. Lecture rooms nowadays have to be made to accommodate hundreds or thousands at a time, instead of the dozens that used to constitute lecture classes. Recitation and personal conference of the old-fashioned sort become almost impossible.

DR. CRIPPEN
NEA
Huntly Jenkins is dead—the London lawyer who defended the notorious Dr. Crippen. That was in 1919. You probably remember the case.
Dr. Crippen was physically timid, small and shrinking. Born in Michigan, he became a wandering medical practitioner. For his second wife he selected Kunikunde Mackamotzki, alias Cora Turner, who promptly became a household bully.
Crippen fell in love with his secretary. They fled to America. Mrs. Crippen had disappeared. The gossiping neighbors weren't satisfied. They called Scotland Yard. Inspector Drew tripped over a loose brick in the cellar. Digging, he found a murdered body.
Crippen was identified aboard ship at sea, by wireless, and arrested. He went to the gallows. The girl? She went free.
The Dr. Crippen case was the first time radio had even been used to detect a fugitive criminal.
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FARRELL STATE BANK

Curtell's Majestic Theater
Today
A Tropical Romance Featuring Dainty Alluring SHIRLEY MASON, in
"SOUTH SEA LOVE"
A lovely story set amidst the beauties of tropical isles where romance and a languorous climate go hand in hand.
Admission 15c Plus Tax Children 10c, No Tax
Tomorrow
CHAPTER FIFTEEN OF
THE OREGON TRAIL
FEATURING
ART ACORD
Also a Western, "Fighting Flists," featuring Jack Ford, and a comedy, "Don't Scream," featuring Pal, the Wonder Dog.
Admission all seats 10c No Tax

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM
CHANGELESS
BY BERTON BRALEY
LOVE lives, though all else passes.
The empires and the kings
May fade like last year's grasses
And other withered things;
But love undying springs
In hearts of lads and lasses,
And youth forever sings
"Love lives, though all else passes."
WAR rules the world a season,
The clutch of gold is strong,
We know the rule of reason
But know it not for long;
Amid the pulsing throng
The toiling, striving masses,
Still sounds this changeless song,
"Love lives, though all else passes."
DUST of the desert covers
Troy, Babylon and Tyre,
But memories of their lovers
Still thrill our hearts with fire;
The conquerors expire,
Silent their drums and brasses,
But we know, heart's desire,
Love lives, though all else passes!
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FUNERAL OF DAVID LILLY AT WHITE HALL
Aged Resident of Greene County Buried Wednesday Afternoon—Revival in Progress at the Christian Church.
White Hall, Dec. 5.—Funeral services over the remains of David Lilly, aged about 70 years and a native of White Hall were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Fox undertaking rooms.
The discourse was delivered by Rev. E. L. Ellison, pastor of the First Baptist church, and interment was in the Lilly family lot in the White Hall cemetery.
Mr. Lilly died in the county house at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning, having been taken to that institution last Friday by Supervisor George Chism. Mr. Chism and Cliff Wood visited him on Sunday, and found him in a failing condition. He had once before been an inmate there, but the goodness of his friends at White Hall enabled him to remain here, as he most desired.
Mr. Lilly has always resided in White Hall, being once a property owner and well to do. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. William Lilly, deceased. He came to White Hall in 1880 and was one of the best among the younger set. He once married, but his wife died, more than 30 years ago, and misfortune left him in a state of mind whereby he gradually deteriorated. A sister, Mrs. Benjamin Lawson, resides at Deatur, and a niece, Miss Vena Lawson, at Webster Grove Mo., where she is teaching, and whose solicitude for her unfortunate uncle stamps her as a woman of exceptionally fine character. A brother, George Lilly, had not been heard from for upwards of ten years. When last heard from ten years ago, he was in the chemical business at Philadelphia, Penn., and considered wealthy, with an excellent family that had become quite prominent in the affairs of that city. All efforts to locate him were unavailing.
The Christian church revival has rounded out two weeks of services of great interest of the enduring sort, and the new pastor who began the services upon taking up the work with this church, Rev. M. P. Pierson, has demonstrated his ability and made good in the matter of advance recommendation, commencing him, which resulted in his call to this church from the evangelistic field. Rev. Pierson has taken a place of importance in the church and community, and his value will be increasingly recognized as his work expands all along the line. A large chorus is used in connection with the meetings, this being under the direction of the new pastor, himself an accomplished and experienced singer. The meetings will continue through next Sunday at least.

Japanese bazar, Congregational church, by Guild, Thursday, 1 to 6 o'clock.
GREATER USE OF HORSE ADVOCATED BY SPEAKER
Chicago, Dec. 5.—Improvement in the quality of horse flesh, greater use of the horse where this animal can do the work and a much greater practice of diversified farming were advocated tonight by D. H. Otis of the agricultural committee of the American Bankers' association speaking at the banquet of the Horse Association of America.
"Forty to fifty per cent of the farmers' expenses are for labor and a horse can do ten times the work of a man," Mr. Otis said. "It is up to us to find or invent ways to utilize the horse in some of the positions now occupied by man labor."
Give something for the car for Christmas. E. V. Brown, Jr., 305 So. Main St., has a complete line of accessories.
HAVE KEPT WEDDING SECRET SINCE JUNE
Announcement has been made of the marriage of John Richard Walsh, former Pittsfield high school athletic star, to Miss Lucille Daniel, which occurred Columbia, Mo., last June sixth, and had since been kept secret. Walsh, who graduated from Pittsfield high three years ago, is now in his junior year at the University of Missouri at Columbia, where for two years he has shone as end on the Tiger football team.

Money: We have \$2000 to lend immediately upon Jacksonville real estate. The Johnston Agency.
LICENSED TO MARRY
A. W. Cooper, Jacksonville; Lucille Ruyle, Jacksonville.
FOR SALE
Buttermilk for feeding, 1c per gallon.—Swift & Co., Produce Dept.
Deposits made in our Savings Department the first Ten Days of December will draw interest from the first of the month.
FARRELL STATE BANK
Scene from "The Covered Wagon," to be shown at Grand Theatre, afternoon and night, for three days beginning Thursday, December 13.

ASSAULT CASES GO TO ANOTHER TERM
Continuances Granted to Kenneth Pennell and Roy Pike—Several Defense Witnesses Absent
Continuances were granted in the circuit court yesterday to Kenneth Pennell and Roy Pike, who were indicted some time since on the charge of assault. The happening which resulted in their arrest and the charge was Sunday afternoon, June 17, 1923, the complaining witnesses being Jennie Treitner and Bertha Ransom.
Pennell's case was called yesterday before Judge Smith and motion to quash the indictment was made by W. N. Hairgrove as attorney for the defendant. This motion was denied and then an affidavit was presented by the defense, maintaining that the absence of several witnesses would make it impossible for the defendant to receive a fair and impartial trial at this time.
It was alleged that an error in the spelling of a name caused delay in the endeavor to serve summons and that the desired witnesses are in Morgan county at this time. The affidavit declared that William Bartlett, Fred Pence, Byron Ruyle and William Walker if present would testify to certain extenuating facts with reference to the alleged happening at Lake Mauvaisterre dam when the girls accompanied the defendants there in an automobile.
After the presentation of this affidavit and some argument the court granted continuance. Like action was taken in the case against Pike.

MATRIMONY
Cooper-Ruyle
The marriage of Arley Cooper and Miss Lucille Ruyle, both of this city, was solemnized at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. A. P. Howells, pastor of First Baptist church officiating. The ring ceremony was used and the young people were unattended.
The bride is a former resident of Roodhouse. She graduated from the high school there and later took a course at Brown Business college here, and for the past several months has held a position as stenographer in the chamber of commerce offices. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ruyle of Roodhouse and is a young woman of charming personality.
Mr. Cooper is a son of Mrs. Eliza Cooper of this city, and is also a former resident of Roodhouse. He now holds a position with the Richardson Oil Co. in this city.
After a brief wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Cooper will make their home in this city. Their many friends wish them a happy wedded life.

FOR SALE
Ford Coupe in A-1 condition. Real bargain. Faugust Bros., 222 N. Main.
D. O. K. K. DANCE IS COMPLETE SUCCESS
About 60 couples enjoyed the Dokay dance given Wednesday evening in Castle Hall. The affair was in every way a complete success, one of the contributing causes of the evening's enjoyment being the Large orchestra whose program of music was highly satisfactory.
DON'T FORGET THE REORGANIZATION SALE at SHANKEN'S
LEAVE FOR CHICAGO
Mrs. E. L. Schall and Mrs. Richard Mungen have returned to their home in Chicago after a visit at the home of Miss Katherine Kiloran, 222 Howe street.

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY
Matinees—2:30, 4:45
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MORE SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR CITY PLAN

Total Now Near The \$3500 Mark—Canvassers to Meet Again Saturday for Conference.

At the conference of workers in the city plan campaign yesterday subscriptions of \$371 were reported, bringing the total to \$3,421. Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp, chairman of the committee, presided.

It is felt that the campaign thus far has proceeded in a very satisfactory way and it is recognized that recent days have not

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NEW GERMAN OIL FORMULA RUBS OUT RHEUMATIC PAINS

Remarkable Discovery Promises Relief to Rheumatic Sufferers

German chemistry that has given to the world the boon of Aspirin for the relief of headache pain, and Novocaine for painless dentistry, has now come forward with another scientific discovery that promises to make rheumatic pain a thing of the past for thousands who have suffered terrible tortures.

A new combination of certain oils has been discovered, which produces a clear amber liquid that affords immediate relief from pain in many instances. It is so penetrating that it disappears within a few seconds, so that it must be entirely absorbed by the body tissue. Even in the most advanced and stubborn cases the use of this remarkable oil has shown astonishing improvement at once in many cases. Tired muscles regain life, creaking joints with the pain all gone become supple, and the annoying twinges cease.

Rheumatism, in many cases, is due to internal abscesses, such as a blind pus pocket in a tooth, which gives off poisons. These poisons are carried by the blood to the muscles and joints and this new oil is designed to neutralize these pain-causing poisons.

So astonishing have been the results from the use of this oil that the American distributors have authorized local druggists to dispense it to rheumatic sufferers in this city, with a positive written guarantee, signed by themselves to return the full purchase price of the first bottle if the rheumatic pains are not wonderfully relieved. All who suffer from rheumatic pains should take advantage of this liberal offer. Unless you get relief from the very first bottle, your druggist will return your money. It is called Musteroil, and can be had at the best drug stores, such as Armstrong Drug Co., Gilbert's Pharmacy, J. F. Shreve, Long's Pharmacy, Coover Drug Co.

been favorable for solicitation work.

Cards are now in the hands of canvassers and another conference of workers will be held at a luncheon at the Peacock Inn Saturday noon.

Additional subscriptions reported are as follows:

Walter DeSarna	\$ 1.00
B. F. Lane	3.00
J. F. Shreve	2.00
J. L. Pine	20.00
F. W. Brockhouse	5.00
Walter DeSarna	5.00
Edward Loneragan	5.00
S. O. Barr	5.00
Edward Bliese	5.00
Doyle Bros.	5.00
W. D. Cody	5.00
Book Novelty Shop	5.00
Shadd Bros.	2.00
C. Y. Rowe	5.00
E. W. Bassett	2.00
Esther Davis	100.00
Illinois Power & Light Co.	5.00
Mrs. Graft	5.00
George Harney	2.00
Louis Piepenbring	10.00
L. O. Vaught	5.00
W. A. Crawford	5.00
Huston & McNamara	5.00
Paul Alexander	5.00
C. C. Capps	5.00
Robert M. Capps	4.00
Elmer Snyder	15.00
E. A. Shoodack	2.00
J. C. Walsh	1.00
Jewell Scott	5.00
C. C. Schureman	5.00
Mrs. W. C. Bradish	5.00
Von Fossen Music Co.	5.00
Peacock Inn	5.00
Mrs. D. B. Clark	5.00
B. F. Shafer	5.00
T. V. Archer	10.00
L. L. Burton	10.00
Mrs. J. H. Danskin	10.00
Kresge & Co.	10.00
Edwin Smart & Co.	5.00
D. M. Howe	5.00
Mrs. Martha Black	5.00
Scott's Theatre	5.00
Hattie Doying	5.00
Bergschneider & Kumble	5.00
G. W. Randle	2.00
H. J. Rodgers	25.00
F. A. Norris	20.00
Hopper & Sons	5.00
Illinois Tire & Battery Co.	5.00
Dr. David Reid	5.00
Dr. George E. Baxter	5.00
Dr. H. C. Woltman	10.00
Dr. C. E. Cole	5.00
Dr. W. P. Duncan	5.00
Ben Roodhouse	5.00

Give something for the car for Christmas. E. W. Brown, Jr., 305 So. Main St., has a complete line of accessories.

WITH THE SICK

W. E. Sullivan, who went to the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., recently, has written Jacksonville friends that he is now improving in a satisfactory way and is hoping to be at home again in about 10 days. News of Mr. Sullivan's improvement will be gratifying to his many friends.

RADIOLITE?

ALEXANDER LARKIN CLUB HAD MEETING

The Alexander Larkin club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Luther Wiley. After the business session several contests were enjoyed. Mrs. Guy Bender winning one prize and Miss Margaret Bergschneider another. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses and all present greatly enjoyed the occasion.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, Jan. 1, at the home of Mrs. Henry Hall.

Biggest Values Ever Offered During Our REORGANIZATION SALE SHANKEN'S

The monthly business meeting of the Mt. Emory Baptist church was held at the parsonage Monday evening and Mrs. Anna Snowden and Mrs. Pearl Clark entertained.

Such business as pertained to the best interest of the church was transacted after which a social hour followed. A splendid lunch was served by the hostesses.

The guests for the evening were Rev. Isaac Kinney, Rev. Onissenbury and Mrs. J. R. Scott.

At the next meeting the first Monday evening in January, an indoor picnic will be held by the church at the church parlors.

Mrs. Snowden, Pres. Susie J. Lynch, Secy.

NOTICE

Camp No. 19 Odd Fellows, meeting tonight at 6:30. Work following.

E. L. Craft, C. P. A. E. Phillips, R. S.

DR. HARKER GIVES \$50 FOR CITY PLAN

C. Y. Rowe of the City Plan commission yesterday received a telegram from Dr. J. R. Harker at San Francisco, Cal., which read: "Fifty Dollars gladly for city plan." "Keep Jacksonville Moving Forward," Dr. Harker is a member of the plan commission, and has been since its organization an enthusiastic believer in the city plan idea.

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FARRELL STATE BANK

CHILDREN GAVE PLAY AT WINCHESTER

Grade School Pupils Presented Play to Increase Interest in Sale of Red Cross Seals—Other Winchester News

Winchester, Dec. 5.—At the close of one of the pictures at the Lyric theatre Wednesday evening a two act play was given by 14 children of the grade schools. The play was given under the direction of Miss Louise Frost and was exceedingly well done. The object of the presentation was to increase interest in the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals.

The title of the play was "Mr. I. N. Different Is Double Crossed" and the cast of characters follows:

Mr. Different—Cordell Moore. Mrs. Different—Emeline Smith. Their son Paul—Richard Cowhick.

Modern health crusader—Junior Little. Tuberculosis association—Vera Smith.

Miss Public Opinion—Lucy Crowe. Health—Josephine Montgomery.

Mrs. Community Conscience—Jane Gibbs. Disease—Louise Land.

Happiness—Frances Clark. Unhappiness—Jean Balsley. Idleness—Warren Doyle.

Play—Dan Smith. Little girl—Louise Leib. Little boy—Gardner Gish.

News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dugan and son Donald returned Monday from Beardstown, where they visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dugan.

The Sunday school class taught by Mrs. Cal Simmons in the Baptist Sunday school delightfully entertained some newly-weds Monday evening in the basement of the church. The guests were seated at a long table and the following menu was served: Escaloped oysters, various kinds of sandwiches, salads, cake and coffee. It was a very pleasant evening for all those present.

Mrs. James Doyle Jr., has taken a position in the Hainsfurther dry goods store.

Charles Evans of Peoria accompanied his nephew, Dan Evans and William Eddings home Tuesday morning and will visit with relatives and friends here for a short time.

William G. Watt has postponed his farm sale until next Monday. The sale was announced for Wednesday but was postponed on account of the unfavorable weather.

Mrs. Alonzo Ellis and mother, Mrs. Mary Lilly, arrived the first of the week from White Hall. Mrs. Lilly will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Grant Mader and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas returned Wednesday from Chicago where they attended the livestock show.

Mrs. N. T. Lashmet and daughter, Miss Loretta, left Wednesday afternoon for West Frankfort where they were called by the death of Mrs. Earl Lashmet.

The Christian church will have its annual baked chicken supper and bazar Thursday.

FOR SALE

Buttermilk for feeding. 1c per gallon.—Swift & Co., Produce Dept.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of the late Newton Rohrer will be held at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the residence in Waverly. The services will be in charge of Rev. C. W. Hamand, pastor of the M. E. church at Auburn, assisted by Rev. W. E. Whitlock, pastor of the M. E. church at Waverly. Burial will be in East cemetery.

VISIT IN CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gallagher of Woodson are making an extended visit with relatives and friends in Chicago.

GOITRE CAUSED

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I. S. D. Athletic News

Wednesday evening the regular players of the I. S. D. team held a farewell meeting for Rudolph Tillman, Orval Nail and Harold Ford, members of the squad who will graduate in June.

These men, although substitutes on the team have always exerted the greatest enthusiasm and energy to make the Tigers the team that they have become and have been of assistance in building the strong wall of the present team.

At the meeting the captain of next years team was also selected, Charles Sellers the center of the present team being chosen. It is a well chosen selection on account of his persistent and effective work on the line, always encouraging his teammates to hard play on defense and to attack the offense of their opponents. He also piloted the kickoffs. It is the general belief that he will make an ideal and spirited leader. Chester Crabbe, the retiring captain, has proved an efficient captain and his sportmanship and conduct have always been 100 percent. He will play his last year next fall and it was his wish that Sellers might be selected so that he might be able to handle his studies in his last year at school. The Tigers will have the same

lineup next fall provided all of the boys return to school. Mr. Cranwill has been chosen manager to succeed Harold Downs who finishes college next year.

Basketball Starts

The basketball candidates started practice yesterday afternoon with twenty answering the call. Coach Robey Burns states that it is too early to make a prophecy as to the strength of the team. The daily practice will be devoted to shooting and passing and this will continue

until December 21st at which time the school will close for the holidays, reopening on January 19th.

NOTICE

Wanted plumbing; job work a specialty; reasonable prices. John Flanagan, telephone 758-Y.

TO MEET TODAY

The Passavant Hospital Aid society will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the hospital.

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WASHINGTON BELIEVES RESULTS IN PROPOSAL CONVENTION PROPHECY

Is Thought That Endorsement of Coolidge is Good Omen

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5. (AP)—The victory of President Coolidge in the South Dakota proposal convention resulted today in bringing nearer a definite indication of the president's position as to the 1924 presidential campaign.

White house officials said that probably within a day or two, acknowledgement would be made of the convention's action and this expected to go a long way toward disclosing Mr. Coolidge's political plans. The president was said to be deeply gratified over the South Dakota endorsement. White house callers said Mr. Coolidge was pleased particularly over the convention's action in making his endorsement unanimous after the vote showed a large margin over Senator Johnson of California. That the conventions action

is not final inasmuch as the South Dakota delegation at the 1924 National convention is subject to choice in the state primary March 25 was said to be realized by Mr. Coolidge's friends, but they pointed to the convention endorsement as significant of Republican sentiment in South Dakota as to the record thus far made by Mr. Coolidge. Johnson Disgraced. Senator Johnson, declared aspirant for the Republican nomination gave out a statement asserting that the convention "decided nothing and that the real fight for delegates would come in the March primary."

"Mr. Coolidge and I will now contend in practically the direct primary in March," said Senator Johnson, adding that he had confidence in the result. Another statement made by Senator Norbeck, Republican, South Dakota declared that the proposal convention of his state was not decisive of the delegation's make up. Senator Norbeck predicted that the March primary would be won by Senator Johnson. No comment on the South Dakota result was offered from the Democratic side or from Senator LaFollette, Republican.

Wisconsin who won the Farmer-Labor presidential endorsement. Politicians generally however, professed to see the chief significance in the South Dakota skirmish in its bearing regarding President Coolidge. The vice-presidential endorsement given Senator Capper, Republican, Kansas was said by the senator today to be "merely complimentary."

THE REFEREE By Albert Apple

Sexes. The average man is two-fifths stronger than the average woman, and his powers of resistance are equally superior. This is shown by two delicate machines, the dynamometer and ergograph, in experiments by medical scientists—Hope, Hanna and Stallybrass. In fairness, women should have compensating advantages in all laws. She asks only equality. But she is entitled to more than equality. Strength rules, so woman in past centuries has had a raw deal. She is gradually getting justice, now that politicians want her votes.

Forgiveness. Vorbeck was head of the German army in eastern Africa during the war. Now he's invited to be an honor guest at the banquet to be given by the English soldiers who fought against him. They vote him a good sport and brave opponent. He reciprocates. While we like to see the ax buried, this incident is not without its regrettable side, for anything that makes war seem a sporting proposition, instead of a social crime, helps keep the war spirit alive.

Spree. In Texas an airplane crashes into an oak tree in a residential district. A woman passenger leaps out and runs for cover. The man in the plane is arrested, charged with operating a flying machine while intoxicated. This probably never happened before in the world's history. In 20 years it may be as common as the arrest of a drunken auto driver in 1923.

Husker. A corn husking contest was staged by John Rickelman of Iowa, and H. D. Paul of Illinois, the two leading corn-producing states. Each contestant is champ husker of his own state. Rickelman won husking 41 bushels in three hours.

Such contrasts were quite common in former years, locally. When they become interstate affairs they are large scale sporting events. Future generations may take, for their sports, useful occupations instead of more or less childish games. Stenog. Did you read about Odette Piaou who won the title of French champion stenographer by typing 83 words a minute and keeping it up for 20 minutes? This is at the rate of 4980 words an hour. A month previously, in our country, Bessie Friedman of New York clicked off 8809 words an hour and got the American cup. The French champion will come to America for contests—which displays courage, considering that the American champ is nearly twice as fast. French. The politicians continue their wrangling in Europe. Meantime that most excellent class of citizens, farmers, toil overtime to repair the damage of the war. French farmers, in addition to helping rebuild the devastated districts, have brought French wheat production back to nineteenth what it was before the war. Their patience through the centuries is pathetic.

Deaths at Soldiers' Home. Deaths at the Illinois S. & S. Home, Quincy, Ill., for the month of November, 1923, were as follows: John H. Burdett, Co. G, 9th Illinois Infantry, age 85. John B. Kelley Co., K, 1st Iowa Cav., age 76. Joseph S. Malcott Co., C, 33rd Illinois Inf., age 82. Joseph W. Washburn, Co., G, 98th Illinois Inf., age 80. Edward B. Edwards, Co., I, 149th Ill. Inf., age 77. John Gridley, Co., H, 8th Mo. Inf., age 82. Michael Branger, Co., A, 22nd Ill. Inf., age 84. Christian Bender, Co., K, 149th Ill. Inf., age 79. Nicholas Thomassin, Co., C, 6th Mo., Lt. Art., age 79. Women: Adeline Orton, age 81. Martha E. Barnett, age 82. Ella G. Dimmick, age 76. J. W. Rug, Supt. J. D. Marks, Adjut.

LUDENDORFF-HITLER TRIAL IN JANUARY Munich, Bavaria, Dec. 5.—The trial of Adolf Hitler, the Fascist leader and General Ludendorff, for the part taken by them in the recently attempted "putsch" has been fixed for early in January. The men will be tried before a special tribunal for political offenses on charges of high treason. COMMITTEE TO WORK FOR DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION Chicago, Dec. 5.—Appointment of a non-partisan committee of 89, with Mayor William E. Dever as honorary chairman, to work to secure the National Democratic convention for Chicago, was announced today by Judson F. Stone, president of the Chicago Association of Commerce.

DON'T FORGET THE REORGANIZATION SALE at SHANKEN'S

In Bandit Lair



Dr. Russell T. Chis (above) of Kansas City, Mo., his wife and Miss Laura McFetridge of Morrisville Pa., recently were attacked by bandits in Central America. Peasants rescued the Americans and burned the brigand's camp. Then the robbers attacked the village. After that, the pillagers did battle with soviet troops. Late reports said they still were at large.

CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. T. S. Martin of East Morton avenue has returned from Toledo where she visited with her two sons. Carl Weber arrived from Springfield Wednesday for a visit in Jacksonville.

Theodore Search of McKendree college spent Tuesday evening in Jacksonville with friends. Thomas Allen residing west of the city was a business visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mrs. M. L. Thompson of Springfield, Mo., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Martin on East Morton avenue. Neal Guthrie and son, Dan, of Pleasant Hill were business visitors in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Griswold of White Hall was a local shopper Wednesday. Mrs. Mervie Graff Timian of Ashland visited friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. E. L. Kendall was a local shopper from Bufile Wednesday. J. H. O'Donnell was a business visitor in Springfield Wednesday.

ALEXANDER NOTES Fred Hermes of Alexander is recovering nicely from a surgical operation which he recently underwent at Our Saviour's hospital.

Mrs. C. M. Strawn has returned from Chicago, where she has been spending the past ten days with relatives. VANCE FEARS HORNSBY Arthur "Dezzy" Vance, Nebraska boy, who as a moundsman for the Brooklyn Robins has held the National League strikeout record for two years, says he fears Rogers Hornsby, St. Louis, more than any other batter in a pinch.

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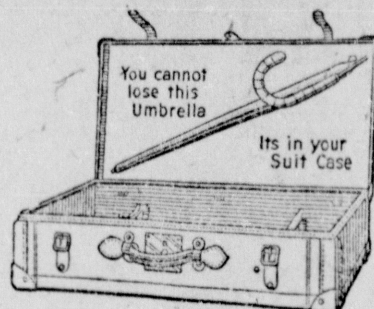
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JAPAN IS AGAIN SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE

Honolulu, Dec. 5.—(A. P.)—The whole central portion of Japan including Kobe, Osaka and other large cities, was shaken by an earthquake early today according to a Tokyo despatch to the Nippu Jiji, Japanese language newspaper here. So far as had been reported when the dispatch was filed there was no loss of life or great property damage.

John W. Willis who has been visiting at the home of his daughter Mrs. G. C. Tarrett on South East street has returned to his home in Hannibal, Mo.

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ANONYMOUS LETTERS

Anonymous letters are quite frequently received by the sheriff's office, according to a statement made yesterday by Burley Jones, chief deputy. Letters of this kind purporting to give information are really of no value, Mr. Jones said. When

signed communications and letters are received they will given careful attention, but without the identity of the writer being known letters are without value.

Mrs. J. F. Brockhouse of Meredosia is spending a few days in the city.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

To Meet at Tea-Trail.

The Business and Professional Women's Club will hold their regular meeting at the Tea Trail at 6 o'clock Friday evening. Miss Anne Jackson will address the club.

Fortnightly Club.

Mrs. L. S. Doane will be hostess today at her home 906 Grove street to the Fortnightly Club. Miss Louella Blackburn will give the program on "Dutch Bells and Gardens."

Pocahontas Club to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Pocahontas Club of the Minnetonka Council No. 71 will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Eaton 606 East Court street. Mrs. Eaton will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Frances Cushman and Mrs. Nell Stout. A social hour will follow the business session.

Wednesday Class.

The Wednesday Class held a

meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elton Bell 1063 West College avenue and both members and guests report a delightful afternoon.

In pursuance of a study course on the trend of the drama, the club has been following this year. Mrs. Frank J. Waddell read a very interesting paper on "Motion Pictures," which was ably handled, a considerable amount of the material used being based upon first hand knowledge from observation while at Hollywood, the seat of the Motion wood industry.

Refreshments served by the hostess at the conclusion of the program added to the enjoyment of the social hour.

Brooklyn Aid Society Supper.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Brooklyn church held a very successful chicken pie supper and market at the church Tuesday night, the treasury thereby being considerably augmented. The ladies feel repaid for their efforts not only for the financial benefits

resulting, but also for the social afforded by the undertaking, the making of new friends made, and enjoyment of the old ones.

Murrayville Domestic Science Club Meeting

The Murrayville Domestic Science club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Wright. The meeting was opened with the club song with Miss Mildred Wright as pianist. The roll call was answered with favorite quotations. A paper on "Which Days, the Cold or Warm Heart" was read by Mrs. William Wade. A reading on "Carrie Jacobs Bond" was given by Mrs. J. H. Fuller. For refreshments the hostess gave a demonstration of Killet cake, with whipped cream and coffee.

Mission Society of Franklin Church Met

The Missionary society of the Franklin M. E. church held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. West Wood, about twenty members and guests were present. The ladies gave a Japanese program, and the house was decorated with Japanese lanterns and other things in keeping with the occasion. Mrs. J. E. Williamson was the leader for the afternoon, and Mrs. M. B. Kenlinger had charge of the devotion.

The hostess served delicious refreshments. Favors were Japanese fans. Guests present included Mrs. Harlan Roberts, Mrs. Sarah Scott, Mrs. Catherine Seymour, and Mrs. J. L. Seymour.

Catholic Aid Society Met.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid held a very delightful meeting at the K. of C. hall on East State street yesterday afternoon, with a good attendance considering the weather. At the business session plans were formulated for the Christmas baskets that the society send out at the Yule tide to cheer those receiving them. It was also decided that the first and fourth wards would hold their Christmas market on Saturday before Christmas December 22, at Doyle Brothers on East State street. The second and third wards having already held their markets.

The entertainment for the afternoon was cards, seven tables enjoying the game, prizes going to Mrs. Julia Grief, first; Mrs. H. B. Shanahan, second; Mrs. John O'Donnell, third. Mrs. John W. Merrigan and Mrs. John F. Buckley were hostesses for the afternoon, and had made the hall very attractive with Christmas decorations. The next meeting will be held December 19.

GLEANORS CLASS HELD MEETING

The Gleanors Class of Ebenezer church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. William Hadden. The meeting was called to order by the President. The roll call was answered and the minutes of the last meeting read. After the business session a program was given, "A Newspaper" by Mrs. Clyde Cooper, several victrola selections and a contest. During the afternoon refreshments were served. Mrs. Hadden was assisted by Mrs. James Martin.

CORN STALK DISEASE IS NOW PREVALENT

It was reported yesterday that there are at present in the county many cases of corn stalk disease among the horses and cattle. In several instances proving fatal. It has been suggested that a large part of this disease might be prevented by allowing the stock in the stalk field but one half day out of each week.

Mrs. Fred Hill was a Griggsville visitor in the city Wednesday.

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BY SISTER MARY

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These shells are used as cases for desserts, salads or creamed meats. They can be kept, reheated and crisped for a week or longer.

Creamed shrimps with peas served in a delicious shell is something very different from the same mixture creamed on toast. Creamed chicken, mushrooms and eggs or sweetbreads are quite as satisfactory served in puff shells as in patty shells. And the puff shells are much less trying to make.

This recipe is sufficient for 18 average sized puffs:

One-half cup butter, 1 cup boiling water, 1 cup flour, 4 eggs.

The water should be boiling when measured. Put water in a perfectly smooth sauce pan and add butter. When the boiling point is reached add the flour, which has been sifted, all at once. Stir vigorously.

The mixture will soon make a stiff ball, drawing away from the sides of the pan. Remove from the fire and add the eggs, unbeaten, one at a time. Each egg should be thoroughly incorporated in the mixture before another is added. Drop by spoonfuls onto a buttered cookie sheet or inverted dripping pan. Bake half an hour in a moderate oven.

Do not look at the puffs for the first 10 minutes they are in the oven. At the end of 10 minutes the heat should be slightly reduced. If the dough is allowed to cool before the eggs are added the shells will be in layers of flakes. This flakiness is especially desirable if they are wanted for a creamed entree.

Care in Baking

Care must be taken in the baking that the shells are well done. If they are not thoroughly baked they will fall. A safe

way to do is to take one from the oven, if it does not fall after two or three minutes the rest may be removed with safety.

Eclairs are made from this same mixture. The puffs are shaped in fingers four or five inches wide. After baking they are split and filled with boiled custard, then frosted with chocolate, maple or vanilla.

The puff shells are split in half when used for salads or creamed entrees, each half forming a case.

If used as a dessert the shells can be opened at the top of the puff, the filling put into the case and the top put back. A particularly delicious concoction is made by filling a shell with maple mousse, replacing the top and pouring marshmallow sauce with English walnuts over the whole. No cake is served and the dessert is distinctly a surprise.

Rich Filling

Whipped cream, sweetened and flavored with vanilla makes a rich sauce for a filling of ice cream or a cold-frosted cream or any sort.

This same mixture can also be used to make tiny cheese puffs to serve with salad. Add two tablespoons grated cheese to the mixture before baking and season with salt and paprika. Drop by the half-teaspoonful, spreading flat, on an oiled and floured baking sheet. Bake well in a moderate oven. Sprinkle with grated cheese and melt in a hot oven before serving.

Tiny puffs are made and filled with any rich, highly seasoned sandwich filling for the afternoon tea table. Drop from a teaspoon, but do not flatten. Bake and remove tops. Fill and replace top.

It may be more convenient to fill them by splitting a little at one side. These puffs must be eaten, or they will be most unpleasant to eat.

very small, not more than two

MEREDOSIA MASONS EFFECT OFFICERS

Meredosia, Ill., Dec. 5.—At the regular meeting of Meredosia Chapter No. 11, R. A. M. Monday night, the following officers were elected:

H. P.—Joseph Schmitt.
K.—H. D. Berger.
S.—L. F. Berger.
Treasurer—Charles J. Schmitt.
Secretary—T. W. Burdick.
Chaplain—Henry Hinners.
C. of H.—C. O. Summers.
P. S.—C. G. Wegheoff.
C. of G.—W. A. Schmitt.
M. 3rd V.—G. D. Nortrup.
M. 2nd V.—H. Deppe.
M. 2nd V.—Julian Shannon.
Steward—P. S. Hodges.
Sentinel—B. C. Heffner.

News Notes
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen left Tuesday on a business trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. Arvilla Gilliland returned to Springfield Wednesday following a brief stay at her home here.

Mrs. J. F. Brockhouse was a business visitor in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Zahn of Arenzville was a shopper here Tuesday.

Mrs. Myrtle Stratton of Springfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Henry Rausch.

W. F. Roegge and J. F. Brockhouse were business visitors in Springfield Thursday.

The managers of the Dew Drop "an cafe have installed a radio for the benefit of their patrons.

Miss Edith Freeman has been on the sick list the past week.

OBITUARY

Mary Ann Jones, daughter of Jesse and Susan Jones, was born in Muskingham county, Ohio, Dec. 3, 1840. In early life she came with her parents to this county and has spent her entire life in this community.

She was married to William Bennett Hobbs in Winchester, Scott county, in 1856. To this union were born 10 children, A. L. Hobbs, Mrs. W. L. Graham, G. C. Hobbs, H. B. Hobbs David, Jesse, Mrs. George M. Spies. She united with the Christian church in her youth and was a faithful attendant when her health permitted. Though frail of body her strong will never let her give up tasks that those of stronger frame would have left undone. She took sick Feb. 1st, 1922 and passed away Nov. 29, 1923. She was faithful to all the duties of life and a loving mother is gone from the home. Throughout her entire sickness of long duration and great suffering she did not complain but was a patient sufferer. Besides her children she leaves three brothers, Rees Jones of Murrayville, Joshua, Montana, John of Edwardsville; two sisters, Mrs. Milton Kelly, Jacksonville, Mrs. Hannah Meredith, Franklin.

AID SOCIETY TO MEET
The hospital aid of the New Home Sanitarium will hold its regular monthly business meeting at the Sanitarium Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. As many as can, are requested to be present.

Mrs. Bryant, Pres.
Susie J. Lynch, Sec'y.

RADIOLITE?

Miss Loral Seymour was a Franklin visitor with friends here Wednesday.

REPRESENTATIVE NOW CHARGES RED CONTROL

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 5.—Dangerous radicals, using the present legislative fight over the Ku Klux Klan as a cloak, are uniting in a campaign to place Oklahoma under "red control," Representative Dave Stovall of Hugo declared in a brief address to the lower house upon which he elaborated later. Socialists, Communists, I. W. W.'s and other foes of constitutional government are spreading propaganda in the state and enrolling scores in various organizations sailing under anti-Klan colors, the whole to be merged into the visible government league which is controlled by "reds," he charged.

Mrs. J. W. Wheeler has returned from Louisiana, Missouri, where she visited with relatives over Thanksgiving.

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HOME FOR HOLIDAYS.

Luther P. Burke, a veteran of both the Spanish and World Wars who has been a patient at the Maywood hospital for an extended time arrived yesterday evening to spend the holidays with his family and other relatives, and will return to Maywood for further treatment at the close of the holiday season.

Mrs. J. W. Wheeler has returned from Louisiana, Missouri, where she visited with relatives over Thanksgiving.

SPEAKER IS CHOSEN

It is announced that C. B. Denman, president of the Producers Live Stock Commission Association of National Stock Yards has been secured as principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Farm Bureau which will be held December 12th beginning with a noonday luncheon at the Central Christian church, the program to follow the luncheon. Mr. Denman is known as a very able speaker and the Farm Bureau officials feel that they are very fortunate in securing him.

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MAY CHANGE RULES FOR EXAMINATIONS

County Superintendent Vasconcellos Receives Letter from State Board—Results of Teachers Examination Announced

County Superintendent of Schools, H. H. Vasconcellos reports that 14 per cent of those persons taking the recent examination for teachers' certificates

have been successful and will be issued certificates. This is slightly above the per cent of successful applicants in nearby counties.

The standard for teachers' certificates has raised in recent years and the small per cent of applicants passing is the subject of much discussion.

The following were successful in the examination for second grade certificates: Ruth R. Beadles, Murrayville; Helen L. Long, Sinclair; Nellie D. Gunn, Jacksonville, Route No. 1, James L. Campbell, Jacksonville, and S. Elizabeth Miner, Waverly.

Winona Genthers, of Ashland, passed for a first grade certificate. Harriet H. Kennedy, of Franklin,

will receive a high school teaching certificate.

County Superintendent Vasconcellos has received the following communication from the secretary of the state examining board relative to proposed changes in the rules of examinations. The letter follows: At a recent meeting of the Examining Board some important changes were made in the rules governing examinations.

Beginning with the March, 1924, examination, six questions will be offered in each subject for all grades of certificates. The applicant will be given a choice of five questions out of the six.

The minimum grade required in any subject for all kinds of certificates will be 50 instead of 60.

The average required for all kinds of certificates will be 80. It has been 75 for second grade and 80 for all other grades.

One examination will be offered in Illinois History and Civics instead

of offering an examination in Illinois History and another in Civics.

These changes will give the applicants a little more time in the preparation of their papers. The questions will be somewhat different in character and fuller discussions on each question chosen by the applicant will be required. It is the opinion of the Examining Board that in determining the value of a manuscript the emphasis should be placed on the quality of the discussion rather than quantity.

All grades of 75 or higher earned in the July and November, 1923, examinations will be carried forward to the March, 1924, examination for second grade certificate and such grades earned in the November, 1923, examination will be carried forward to July, 1924. This will complete the obligation of the Examining Board to applicants writing in those examinations and who have depended upon our statement that grades of 75 or higher will be carried forward.

No grades of less than 80 earned in the March, 1924, examination will be carried forward to a subsequent examination for any grade of teachers' certificate.

Within a very few days a supply of circulars of rules and regulations setting forth these new provisions will be sent to you. It will be necessary for you to destroy all copies of rules and regulations in your office at this time before receiving the new rules. Otherwise there will be danger of your giving out the wrong information. It is also necessary for the same reason that you destroy all report cards in your office not used in reporting the results of the November examination.

Yours sincerely,
A. L. WHITTENBERG,
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LEAVES FOR WEST
Miss Louise Munis left recently on a trip to Denver, Colo., Salt Lake, Utah, San Francisco, Santa Clara and Los Angeles, Calif., and on return trip will visit at points in Arizona and at Albuquerque, N. M. She expects to be gone about two months.

RETURN TO CITY
Mr. and Mrs. Asa M. Robinson and daughters, Misses Doris and Ruth, are again at their home in the city after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Burgess at Bement, Ill.

Woodson Household Science Club will hold their annual bazar and supper at Christian church basement Friday, Dec. 7th; start serving at 5:30 P. M.

CHILDREN TO GIVE PROGRAM AT I. W. C.

Kindergarten Child Culture Class to Give Program Friday Night in Music Hall.

Demonstration by the Kindergarten Child Culture Children under the direction of Miss Margaret Grimsley with Agnes Muleady at the piano, will be given in the Illinois Woman's College Music Hall, Friday evening, Dec. 7th at 7:45 o'clock. The child culture course was organized and has been in progress at the West Side Studio of the College of Music since last September and the marvelous development made by little tots of four or five years old, is both interesting and entertaining.

The following program will be given and the public is cordially invited to be present. Special attention is called to the hour which is earlier than usual, on account of the young performers: ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE, College of Music.

Kindergarten Child Culture Demonstration. Direction, Miss Margaret Grimsley. Miss Agnes Muleady at the piano. Music Hall, Friday evening, Dec. 7th, 7:15 o'clock.

Program.

Entrance.
Nursery Rhymes:
Old King Cole.
Baa, Baa Black Sheep.
Jack and Jill.
Rhythms.
Songs—Action.
Santa.
Sad Little Girl.
Lady Bug.
Crooked Man.
Bird Nest.
Polk Dances:
Indian Dance.
Kindergarten Polka.
Shoe Maker.
Bow to Your Partner.
Tone Work.
Ear Training.
Scale.
Piano Numbers.
Bye O, Baby—Katherine Stevenson.
Bird Nest—Betty Clare Woltman.
Silent Night, Holy Night.
Child Culture Children.
Mary Elizabeth Butler.
Betty Jane Eyre.
Robert Greenleaf.
Raymond Gordon.
Robert Hamm.
George Hamilton.
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John Hopper.
Dick Hartman.
Edward Johnston.
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Gordon McGloshen.
Eugene Potter.
John Robinson.
Donald Pearson.
Ruth Spink.
Katherine Stevenson.
Thomas Strawn.
Betty Clare Woltman.
Helen Lee Woolsey.
Mary Lee Weirick.

Grace church Christmas bazar today, opens at 1 P. M.; annual turkey dinner at 5:30 and 6:30. Mrs. H. D. Adkins, chairman ticket committee.

SEEK FACTS ABOUT NEEDED TROUBLES

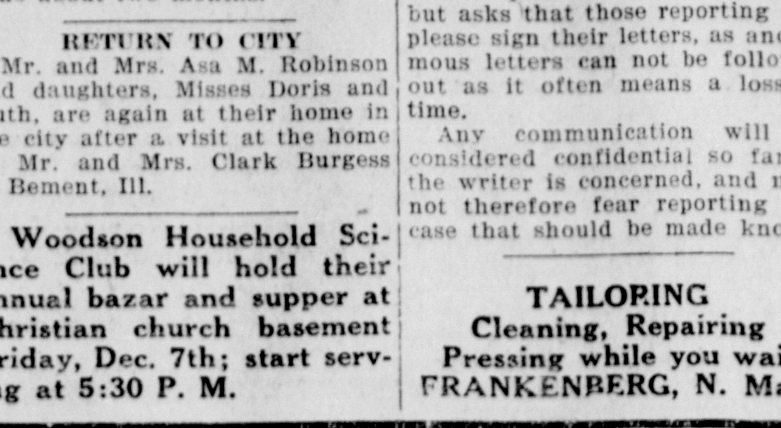
Miss Eva Viers, the superintendent of the Social Service League requests the assistance of the public in reporting any families or persons who are in need, but asks that those reporting will please sign their letters, as anonymous letters can not be followed out as it often means a loss of time.

Any communication will be considered confidential so far as the writer is concerned, and need not therefore fear reporting any case that should be made known.

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CONCORD SCHOOL TO GIVE PLAY SATURDAY

"A Little Clodhopper" Will Be Presented in High School Auditorium—The Cast and Story

Concord, Dec. 6.—The Concord High school will present the play entitled "A Little Clodhopper" by Walter Ben Hare, directed by Principal S. Kenneth Spencer, in the high school auditorium, Dec. 8th at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday night.

Synopsis of the Play

Act 1.—A birthday party in the country, the old maid and the boob. When the chicken gets around to me there will be nothing left but half of the gizzard and the tail feathers. The scheming Mrs. Boggs and her dainty son, George from the city. The party arrive. Green, the book agent is not as green as he seems to be, joins the festivities. The fellows is a kissing the girls just awful. It wasn't no place for a minister's son. "Judy," the girl from the poor house is accused of theft. "I'll prove who is the thief—you or I!"

Act 2.—The home of Mrs. Boggs in the city. July takes a dancing lesson with sad results. George ain't desperate enough to kill a Mizzoury musketeer. Mrs. Boggs arranges the marriage between George and Judy, but her plans do not work out as intended. Judy and the cutie book agent. What is love. Duet introduced. George marries Chariman and Judy is thrown out in the storm. Saved by Andy, the boob from Splinterville.

Act 3.—Same scene as act 2. Three weeks later George and Chariman have a troubled honeymoon obscured by a cloud and Mrs. Boggs is the cloud. A blackmail scheme. Mrs. Boggs passed Chariman off as Judy. The sick man from Texas. "You'll find your daughter back in Splinterville poor house. Mrs. Boggs calls the police. Andy responds, bringing Judy with him. "You ain't my daddy at all." Mrs. Boggs decides to go to work. Septimes says, "I wouldn't trade

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places with a millionaire, me and my little clodhopper. Happy ending.

The following is the cast of characters:

Septimus Greene, a young book agent full of pep—Owen Smith. Andy Gump, a fresh country product, by heck—Farrell McGinnis.

George Cheggerson, an innocent little lamb from the city—Sammy Blimling.

Miss Julietta Bean, a Splinterville boarding housekeeper—Diana Krueger.

Chariman Carter, who thinks she's a vampire—Elizabeth Meyers.

Judy, a little clodhopper from the poor house—Mildred Hamm. Mrs. Chiggerson Boggs, his devoted mamma with a smooth scheme—Helen Hale.

Country folks—Charlotte Brockhouse, John Rayborn the deacon and wife, Arpha Nickel and Elmer Johnson, Floyd Hess and Vervel Plank, Russell Yeck and Martha Robinson and Russell McGinnis.

BAZAAR WELL PATRONIZED

Despite the inclemency of the weather the bazaar of fancy articles and aprons held at Furry & Son's Grocery store by the four sisters, Mrs. A. L. Black, Mrs. M. E. Davis, Mrs. J. T. Kinnett and Miss Margaret Trotter was well attended and the ladies were well pleased with the patronage accorded them.



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FARRELL STATE BANK

AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE at the chapel hour yesterday morning heard an address by W. L. Pence, a representative of the Y. M. C. A. and of the Y. W. C. A. conference to be held at Indianapolis during the holidays. The speaker gave an outline of what it is intended to do at the conference, and one member of the Y. W. C. A. at the college will be selected to attend as a delegate.

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South and West Bound

No. 31 daily to St. Louis. 6:15 a. m.
No. 15 daily to Kansas City. 10:50 a. m.
No. 17 daily to St. Louis and Mexico, Mo. 4:25 p. m.
No. 71 daily to Roodhouse. 7:20 a. m.
No. 9 daily to Kansas City. 11:35 p. m.

WABASH

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No. 8 leaves daily. 12:56 a. m.
No. 4 leaves daily. 8:20 a. m.
No. 12 leaves daily. 9:06 p. m.
No. 72 leaves daily (ex. Sunday) local freight Accommodation. 10:20 a. m.

West Bound

No. 3 leaves daily. 6:15 a. m.
No. 9 leaves daily. 12:15 p. m.
No. 15 leaves daily. 5:45 p. m.
No. 73 lv. daily (ex. Sunday) local freight Acco. 12:30 p. m.

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South Bound

No. 12 daily (ex. Sun.) 6:52 a. m.
No. 148 daily (ex Sun.) 2:10 p. m.

North Bound

No. 47 daily (ex Sun.) 11:10 a. m.
No. 11 daily (ex Sun.) 3:00 p. m.

CHICAGO, PEORIA & SILONIS

South Bound

No. 37 ar. Jacksonville 6:00 p. m.
No. 26 lv. Jacksonville 7:05 a. m.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an Execution to me directed by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Morgan County, in the State of Illinois, in favor of Charles M. Strawn, Plaintiff, and against Roma Cole Defendant.

I have levied upon all the right, title, interest and claim of Roma Cole in and to the following described real estate to-wit: Part of Lot four (4) in Block Thirty-one (31) in the City Addition to the City of Jacksonville, Ill., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the North West Corner of said Lot Four (4) and running thence east to the South West Corner of Lot Five (5) in said Block Thirty-one (31), thence South one hundred and thirty two feet (132) to the South West of said Lot Four (4) thence west 44 the Southwest Corner of said Lot Four (4) and thence North one hundred and thirty two feet (132), to the place of beginning.

As the property of the said Roma Cole, which I shall offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, at the south door of the Court House, in Jacksonville, Illinois, on Friday the 28th day of December A. D. 1923, at 2 o'clock P. M. to satisfy said Execution.

T. O. Wright Sheriff Morgan County.

This 5th. day of December, 1923.

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LOST—Between Hardin ave and Hopper and Hamms store \$10 bill. Finder please return to Journal Office. 12-4-3t

LOST—One oxygen tank between Smith's market and court house. Return tank and receive reward. Love Welding Works, Corner Morgan and East sts. 12-2-3t

Market Report

By The Associated Press

BUYING OF ERIE FEATURES MARKET

FINANCIAL.
Total stock sales 1,042,000. Twenty industrials averaged 92.81; net gain 15. High 1923: 105; low 85.76. Twenty railroads averaged 84.61; net gain 55. High 1923: 90.51; low 79.53

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Heavy buying of the Erie railroad issues sales of which composed one tenth of the day's total transactions of more than 1,000,000 shares, featured today's irregularly heavy stock market. With the removal of the deadlock over the election of a speaker of the house of representatives, operations for the rise were resumed in lower sections of the list with gains which ran from 1 to nearly 6 points were materially reduced or cancelled by the wave of profit-taking which set in during the afternoon.

Erie common stock crossed 22 and the second preferred touched 27 1/2, the highest levels reached in four years.

The pivotal industrial leaders United States Steel Common, Baldwin, Studebaker and American Can—showed mixed fractional changes on the day. Heavy selling of Maxwell motors A., an official confirmation of reports that the proposed merger negotiations with Studebaker had been abandoned resulted in a two point drop in that stock just before the close.

Strong spots among the minor industrials and specialties included Mack Trucks, Schulte, American Sugar, Famous Players, Tobacco products, American Radiator, American Snuff, Loews, H. R. Mallison, Manhattan Shirt, Mathieson Alkali, National Supply, Pacific Gas, Simms Petroleum and Tinkers Roller Bearing, the gains ranging from 1 to 5 points.

There was little change in the prices of active United States government bonds, altho the undertone continued firm. Total sales were \$10,768,000.

Chicago Cash Grain Close
Wheat—Market steady. No. 1 hard, \$1.10; No. 2 mixed, \$1.06; No. 3 mixed, \$1.04.

Corn—Market steady to 1/2c higher. No. 3 mixed, 75c; No. 4 mixed, 73 1/2c; No. 5 mixed, 72 1/2c; No. 6 mixed, 72c; No. 7 yellow, 78 1/2c; No. 8 yellow, 76 1/2c; No. 9 yellow, 74 1/2c; No. 10 yellow, 72 1/2c; No. 11 yellow, 70 1/2c; No. 12 yellow, 68 1/2c; No. 13 yellow, 66 1/2c; No. 14 yellow, 64 1/2c; No. 15 yellow, 62 1/2c; No. 16 yellow, 60 1/2c; No. 17 yellow, 58 1/2c; No. 18 yellow, 56 1/2c; No. 19 yellow, 54 1/2c; No. 20 yellow, 52 1/2c; No. 21 yellow, 50 1/2c; No. 22 yellow, 48 1/2c; No. 23 yellow, 46 1/2c; No. 24 yellow, 44 1/2c; No. 25 yellow, 42 1/2c; No. 26 yellow, 40 1/2c; No. 27 yellow, 38 1/2c; No. 28 yellow, 36 1/2c; No. 29 yellow, 34 1/2c; No. 30 yellow, 32 1/2c; No. 31 yellow, 30 1/2c; No. 32 yellow, 28 1/2c; No. 33 yellow, 26 1/2c; No. 34 yellow, 24 1/2c; No. 35 yellow, 22 1/2c; No. 36 yellow, 20 1/2c; No. 37 yellow, 18 1/2c; No. 38 yellow, 16 1/2c; No. 39 yellow, 14 1/2c; No. 40 yellow, 12 1/2c; No. 41 yellow, 10 1/2c; No. 42 yellow, 8 1/2c; No. 43 yellow, 6 1/2c; No. 44 yellow, 4 1/2c; No. 45 yellow, 2 1/2c; No. 46 yellow, 1 1/2c; No. 47 yellow, 1/2c; No. 48 yellow, 1/4c; No. 49 yellow, 1/8c; No. 50 yellow, 1/16c; No. 51 yellow, 1/32c; No. 52 yellow, 1/64c; No. 53 yellow, 1/128c; No. 54 yellow, 1/256c; No. 55 yellow, 1/512c; No. 56 yellow, 1/1024c; No. 57 yellow, 1/2048c; No. 58 yellow, 1/4096c; No. 59 yellow, 1/8192c; No. 60 yellow, 1/16384c; No. 61 yellow, 1/32768c; No. 62 yellow, 1/65536c; No. 63 yellow, 1/131072c; No. 64 yellow, 1/262144c; No. 65 yellow, 1/524288c; No. 66 yellow, 1/1048576c; No. 67 yellow, 1/2097152c; No. 68 yellow, 1/4194304c; No. 69 yellow, 1/8388608c; No. 70 yellow, 1/16777216c; No. 71 yellow, 1/33554432c; No. 72 yellow, 1/67108864c; No. 73 yellow, 1/134217728c; No. 74 yellow, 1/268435456c; No. 75 yellow, 1/536870912c; No. 76 yellow, 1/1073741824c; No. 77 yellow, 1/2147483648c; No. 78 yellow, 1/4294967296c; No. 79 yellow, 1/8589934592c; No. 80 yellow, 1/17179869184c; No. 81 yellow, 1/34359738368c; No. 82 yellow, 1/68719476736c; No. 83 yellow, 1/137438953472c; No. 84 yellow, 1/274877906944c; No. 85 yellow, 1/549755813888c; No. 86 yellow, 1/1099511627776c; No. 87 yellow, 1/2199023255552c; No. 88 yellow, 1/4398046511104c; No. 89 yellow, 1/8796093022208c; No. 90 yellow, 1/17592186044416c; No. 91 yellow, 1/35184372088832c; No. 92 yellow, 1/70368744177664c; No. 93 yellow, 1/140737488355328c; No. 94 yellow, 1/281474976710656c; No. 95 yellow, 1/562949953421312c; No. 96 yellow, 1/1125899906842624c; No. 97 yellow, 1/2251799813685248c; No. 98 yellow, 1/4503599627370496c; No. 99 yellow, 1/9007199254740992c; No. 100 yellow, 1/18014398509481984c; No. 101 yellow, 1/36028797018963968c; No. 102 yellow, 1/72057594037927936c; No. 103 yellow, 1/144115188075855872c; No. 104 yellow, 1/288230376151711744c; No. 105 yellow, 1/576460752303423488c; No. 106 yellow, 1/1152921504606846976c; No. 107 yellow, 1/2305843009213693952c; No. 108 yellow, 1/4611686018427387904c; No. 109 yellow, 1/9223372036854775808c; No. 110 yellow, 1/18446744073709551616c; No. 111 yellow, 1/36893488147419103232c; No. 112 yellow, 1/73786976294838206464c; No. 113 yellow, 1/147573952589676412928c; No. 114 yellow, 1/295147905179352825856c; No. 115 yellow, 1/590295810358705651712c; No. 116 yellow, 1/1180591620717411303424c; No. 117 yellow, 1/2361183241434822606848c; No. 118 yellow, 1/4722366482869645213696c; No. 119 yellow, 1/9444732965739290427392c; No. 120 yellow, 1/18889465931478580854784c; No. 121 yellow, 1/37778931862957161709568c; No. 122 yellow, 1/75557863725914323419136c; No. 123 yellow, 1/151115727451828646838272c; No. 124 yellow, 1/302231454903657293676544c; No. 125 yellow, 1/604462909807314587353088c; No. 126 yellow, 1/1208925819614629174706176c; No. 127 yellow, 1/2417851639229258349412352c; No. 128 yellow, 1/4835703278458516698824704c; No. 129 yellow, 1/9671406556917033397649408c; No. 130 yellow, 1/19342813113834066795298816c; No. 131 yellow, 1/38685626227668133590597632c; No. 132 yellow, 1/77371252455336267181195264c; No. 133 yellow, 1/1547425049106725343

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ANNIVERSARY WILL BE CELEBRATED

Jacksonville Aerie of Eagles Prepares to Observe Birthday

The regular meeting of the Jacksonville Aerie, No. 509 F. O. E., will be held at the hall and the committee appointed at the last meeting will report on the plans formulated for the Dec. 20th meeting, when there will be a luncheon given in celebration of the 18th anniversary of the local Aerie.

It is interesting to note that the rapid growth of the Fraternal Order of Eagles from a little band of five stranded actors to 500,000 members covers a period of only 25 years. The organization was started at Seattle, Wash., where today there is a membership of 16,000. The one aim of the order is to help one's fellowman, and at first was called "The Order of Good Fellowship." Worthy State President Homer Whalen of Canton and Past State President M. J. McCabe are expected to be present at the Dec. 20th meeting.

On account of Wednesday night dances being given at the hall of the Aerie it has been arranged to hold their meetings the first and third Tuesday nights.

The following are the past worthy presidents of Jacksonville Aerie since it organized: W. H. McCarthy, Michael McGinnis, W. H. Braner (deceased), Ben C. Andrews, H. E. Frye, Frank U. Corvea, George W. Davis (deceased), Ralph R. Stringham, Frank D. Kelley, Howard Johnson, F. W. Doherty, J. M. Vasconcellos.

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SOCIETY WILL MEET

The Missionary Society of the Woodson Christian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Shirley.

VET. HEADS TO MEET HERE IN JANUARY

Col. O. C. Smith, Department Commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, has called a conference of the state commanders of the G. A. R., Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the American Legion to be held in Jacksonville on January 11th for the purpose of perfecting plans for closer cooperation between the different patriotic organizations of the state and to draft acceptable regulations for the observance of the various patriotic days. Arrangements are being made for a joint dinner at the same time.

HERE TO RUN ROUTE FROM SURVEY.

Engineers representing the state highway department came to Jacksonville yesterday to run lines for the proposed change in the right of way for the hard road south from Jacksonville. Recently a number of Morgan county officials petitioned Governor Small and highway department officials to so change the routing that the hard road will run thru Woodson. At that time the promise was given the engineers would come to make a new survey and that the change would be made if the local people would co-operate in securing the right of way.

Japanese bazar, Congregational church, by Guild, Thursday, 1 to 6 o'clock.

HERE FOR VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kiel of Virginia have arrived in the city for a visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kiel, on North Church street.

Grace church Christmas bazar today, opens at 1 P. M.; annual turkey dinner at 5:30 and 6:30. Mrs. H. D. Adkins, chairman ticket committee.

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URANIA LODGE HOLDS GREAT OPEN MEETING

Entertainment is Attended by 200 Tuesday Night—Lodge Will Initiate Bg Class on Dec. 19.

At least two hundred men gathered last evening at the open meeting of Urania Lodge No. 243 I. O. O. F. The hall on West State street was crowded with members and their guests, and great enthusiasm for the order prevailed.

Following the formal program those present enjoyed a social hour, during which a number of applications for membership in the lodge were secured. This was followed by an oyster stew, which closed the evening's entertainment.

The address of the evening was delivered by Carl H. Weber, Grand High Priest of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, who discussed the advantages and privileges of Odd Fellowship. He told his audience that lodges of the order exist in nearly every civilized country in the world, and that the principles of the order have made for peace between nations where the order is especially strong.

The program was opened with prayer by Ernest C. Rutherford. The "Harmony Hounds," a male quartet, furnished a number of pleasing selections. Miss Jane Wright of Murrayville gave a number of musical readings, which were greatly enjoyed. The titles of the readings were: "Foolish Questions," "Be What You Are," "Men and Mules" and "Cutting Out the Slang." Another feature of the program consisted of two vocal numbers by Miss Lydia Hunt, entitled "Back to the Old Neighborhood," and "Mighty Like A Rose."

Urania Lodge is preparing to confer the infatigable degree on a large class on the evening of December 19. It is expected that nearly fifty men will take the work at this time, as a large number of applications are now on file.

SOCIAL WORK TO BE SPEAKER'S THEME

Miss Claudia Wannamaker Will Make Address Under Woman's Club Auspices

The social committee of the Woman's club is emphasizing a new phase of social work in its program for the December meeting. Miss Claudia Wannamaker of the Institute for Juvenile Research is to speak on some aspects of the use of recreation as a therapeutic agent in dealing with problems of behavior difficulties of children.

The following is a brief digest of an article on "The Use of Recreation in Social Case Work" by Miss Wannamaker that appears in a recent number of the Institute Quarterly. Recreation as a part of the social treatment has been carried on at the Institute for Juvenile Research since August, 1920. It has developed that the work of the Institute is really pioneer in character. Although many agencies place considerable emphasis on the community aspect of the situation, there has been no definite use of recreation in family case work. The recreation work of the Institute is individualistic in character and consists for the most part in a program for his social adjustment. In one case emphasis may be placed upon the home play, while in another an effort must be made to place the child in an organized club or class.

The discovery of a child's play interests is by no means a simple process, the majority of children being extremely reticent when they are questioned. This is probably due to some extent to the fact that many parents and teachers are "inclined to minimize the importance of recreation when it conflicts with the performance of home and school duties. Few children have any systematic arrangement in the matter of play and are expected to play "when there is nothing important to be done."

Recreation as a part of social treatment of behavior difficulties is as yet in the experimental stage. However, it is thought that three distinct possibilities for its use have been evolved namely:

1. To furnish additional insight into behavior manifestations as an aid to diagnosis.
2. To utilize the play interests of the individual in attempting an adjustment of his behavior.
3. To aid other poems of social treatment thru eliciting co-operation on the part of the individual and other members of his family.

MISS OLMSTEAD'S WORK GIVEN RECOGNITION

Morrison Worthington, writing recently from Paris, mentioned having met Miss Katherine Olmstead, a number of years ago nurse of the Anti-Tuberculosis association in Jacksonville. Miss Olmstead is director of public health nursing of the League of Red Cross societies, which is the central organization of National Red Cross agencies.

Miss Olmstead's work brings her in direct contact with rulers and high officials of the countries of Europe, and a number of schools relating to nursing and hospitals are under her direction. The work done by Miss Olmstead in recent years has been given recognition and she has been decorated by various governments in Europe.

EXHIBIT OF PRINTS OPENS AT HIGH SCHOOL

The exhibition of Porter prints at the high school will open this afternoon at 4 o'clock and the pictures may be viewed for an hour. The collection will also be on view this evening from 7 until 9 o'clock and during the same hours tomorrow night.

The 150 prints are arranged in three rooms at the high school and cover a wide range of subjects. They represent some of the most famed paintings and art treasures of all land reproduced from the originals, and should be seen by every lover of the beautiful in Jacksonville. A group of students will tell the meaning of the pictures or the circumstances which led to their painting. The proceeds of the exhibit will be used to purchase pictures for the school.

LEAVING FOR SOUTH

Mrs. Julia Holmes and daughters, Misses Sallie, Jessie and Louise leave this afternoon for Deland, Florida. From there they will drive across the hard road to Lake Helen a few miles distant, where they will spend the winter, having secured their location. Lake Helen is about 200 miles south of St. Petersburg, on the Atlantic side of Florida, and the climate conditions are very desirable.

Orange groves, palm trees, and other tropical flora and horticulture flank the many beautiful drives and the Holmes party is anticipating a very pleasant winter. They expect to return to Jacksonville about the 10th of April.

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DRAINAGE LAND OWNERS TO MEET

Beardstown and some other cities and towns along the Illinois river are largely represented in Washington this week attending the rivers and harbors convention. They are looking over the general situation with reference to proposed legislation in which land owners along the river are greatly interested.

A meeting is to be held in Beardstown Friday evening, Dec. 14, at which representatives of the land owners of a number of drainage districts will be present, together with others who are interested in the problem of drainage.

W. G. Bruce, who is president of the Great Lakes Harbor association, will be one of the principal speakers. The Association of Drainage and Levee districts which has arranged for this general meeting has held a number of group conferences in recent months. The land owners in drainage districts and others who own property adjacent to Illinois river are firmly opposed to some of the proposals of the sanitary district of Chicago, and hope by united effort to have their ideas carried out.

"THE CAT AND CANARY" WRITTEN FIRST AS PLACET

To the ambitious young playwright the true story of how John Willard wrote and sold "The Cat and the Canary," the famous play, which has just finished its second season in New York City and is coming to Grand tonight, is as full of thrills and surprises as that play itself.

Willard who has been in turn newspaperman, miner, cowboy, actor and aviator, has a number of plays to his credit but not until last October 1921, had he attempted anything bigger than one act. The entertainment committee of the Lambs asked him to write a one act thriller for their next public gambol.

Willard rapidly drafted the outline of a short sketch that he thought would startle even the blasé Lambs. It was a story of a girl whose enemies were trying to drive her insane in order that she might forfeit an inheritance.

When Mr. Willard read this to his wife, she agreed with him that it was a "thriller," but insisted that he had more than a playlet there. "That's a fine second act you have now, write a first and a third, and then find a producer," she urged. Mr. Willard complied.

"The Cat and the Canary" is good writing and good drama. It is the sort of play the public likes, as proved by the long lines at the box-office among varied populations. There is something for every playgoer in "The Cat and the Canary." Even the inveterate movie fan, disciple of speed, will find the pace of this play fast enough to suit his fancy and as interesting as any picture yet screened.

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PAY HONOR TO FORMER MEMBER OF BAR

Memorial Service Held in Circuit Court for Late J. O. Priest—Resolution Adopted

In the circuit court yesterday afternoon with Judge Smith presiding and practically all members of the Morgan county bar present, a memorial service for the late James O. Priest was held. A resolution was read by Carl E. Robinson, member of the committee appointed from the bar association, to draft such a resolution. Following its presentation and adoption, Mr. Robinson spoke in a personal way, voicing his appreciation of Mr. Priest's kindness and his especial friendship for those weak or unfortunate.

William N. Haingrove, long a friend of Mr. Priest, also spoke in an eulogistic way. He referred to genuine charity or spirit as one of the most marked characteristics of the deceased attorney.

J. Marshall Miller was another of the speakers. Mr. Miller had long had friendly relations with Mr. Priest and said that he had come to greatly admire his sincerity and uprightness.

Words of appreciation of Mr. Priest's character and ability were also voiced by Judge E. S. Smith. The resolution of respect adopted and made a part of the records was as follows:

To the Officers and Members of the Bar Association, of Morgan County, Illinois:

James O. Priest, a member of the Morgan County Bar, passed from this life on the twenty-ninth day of September, 1923. Mr. Priest had practiced his profession in Morgan county for thirty years. He enjoyed a wide acquaintance, not only in Morgan county, but in surrounding counties. He was counsel in some of the most important litigation of the years of his practice and enjoyed the confidence and respect of many people.

Mr. Priest was an industrious man. He was also a man whose private life was not marred by intemperance or any vicious habit. And he was a man of kind heart and sympathetic nature. No person in distress, no matter what the merits of his case appeared to be, ever appealed to Mr. Priest in vain. He was deeply affected by the troubles and sorrows of others and was always glad to give aid to the unfortunate. He did not profess to be without peculiarities and faults, but he possessed an unflinching charity for the peculiarities and faults of others.

As a lawyer, Mr. Priest was diligent and attentive to his practice. He worked incessantly for the interests of his clients and at all times had their welfare uppermost in his mind.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Bar Association of Morgan County, Illinois, that in the death of J. O. Priest we have lost a man of kind heart and generous disposition and a lawyer diligent and earnest.

And be it further resolved that this memorial be spread at large on the minutes of this association and be presented to the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Illinois, and that a copy of this memorial be forwarded to the surviving widow and children of Mr. Priest.

Carl E. Robinson, Wm. E. Thomson, John J. Reeve, Committee.

FRIEND OF LINCOLN AND ROOSEVELT DEAD

Waukegan, Ill., Dec. 5.—Homer Cooke, thought to have been the oldest practicing lawyer in the United States, a close friend of Presidents Lincoln and Roosevelt, died at his home here tonight, following a week's illness. Although nearly 94 years old, he had practiced in the Lake county circuit court up to a week ago.

A native of Stamford, Vermont, where he was born, January 5, 1832 Mr. Cooke's family moved to Waukegan, Ill., when he was a small boy. After teaching school he studied law which he practiced for 65 years. He was a member of the reception committee which greeted Lincoln when he made a campaign speech at Waukegan and was also prominent in Roosevelt's campaigns.

BAPTIST INDEPENDENTS WIN FROM FLYWAYS

The Baptist Independents beat the Flyways in a hard fought game of basketball on the I. S. D. floor Wednesday evening by a score of 25 to 24. Conkle and Emerson were the heavy point makers for the Independents, while Mitchell starred for the Flyways. Any teams with an average age of 15 years wanting games for Thursday nights should see Capt. Howard Emerson.


VIOLATED LIQUOR LAW

State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson yesterday in the county court filed information against Bert Gorman of this city, on a charge of violating the prohibition act. The man was arrested by the sheriff's deputies late Saturday night and had a quart of liquor in his possession at the time of his arrest.

Mrs. T. J. K'nnett of Orleans is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Black of S. East street. Miss Margaret Trotter, east of the city, is spending a few days visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. M. E. Davis on East College avenue.

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FORMER RESIDENT OF CITY IS DEAD

Noah Ornellas, a former resident of this city and of Murrayville, died some time Monday at the home of his son, Clarence Ornellas at Stuttgart, Ark., where he had been engaged in farming for the past three years. The remains will arrive at White Hall Thursday, where the decedent's wife and family reside. They will be brought to this city Friday and funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock in the afternoon at Northminster church, with interment in Jacksonville cemetery.

Mr. Ornellas was 66 years, one month and four days of age at the time of his death. Most of his life was spent in this community. He is survived by his wife and five children. Clarence of Stuttgart, Ark., Noah, Jr., of this city, Frank of White Hall, Mrs. Amie James of Springfield, and Miss Nettie Ornellas of White Hall. He also leaves one brother, Moses Ornellas, of Jacksonville; one sister, Mrs. Fannie Stumbow of Rushville, Kan., and five grandchildren. A telegram was received Wednesday by J. E. Thompson of Murrayville, telling of the death of Mr. Ornellas.

NOTICE

Stated meeting of Jacksonville Lodge No. 570 A. F. & A. M. tonight, 7:30 o'clock. Work. Richard Reynolds, W. M. E. L. Kinney, Secy.

ALTON TO BUILD NEW THIRD TRACK

What the Bloomington Pantagraph says may prove to be the first stretch of the long discussed third main track between Joliet and Chicago on the Chicago and Alton, has been authorized by Receiver W. G. Bied and will be installed during the present winter, according to present plans.

This stretch will extend from Argo to Corwith Junction, just south of Brighton Park, and passes thru Glenn, the outer freight yard of the company. The new third main will be about seven miles in length and will be a wonderful relief to all switching movements and also enable inbound and outbound thru freight to keep in the clear of passenger trains and avoid excessive delay.

Every mile of such track means relief to traffic and will enable freight drags to keep out of the way of passenger trains, thus doing away with a large amount of the present dead time, on passing tracks.

WILLIAM DUNN ILL

William Dunn, who resides at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Paschall, in the Markham neighborhood, was stricken with paralysis Monday, and at last reports was in a serious condition.

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W. P. SMITH AWARDED DAMAGES OF \$10,000

The verdict which was reached in the case of William P. Smith against the Wabash Railroad company was opened in court yesterday morning and awarded the sum of \$10,000 to the complainant because of injuries which he received several months ago east of the city. Damages in the sum of \$30,000 were asked.

Japanese bazar, Congregational church, by Guild, Thursday, 1 to 6 o'clock.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Maude Parker to Charles S. Black, pt. lot 9, City addition \$1. This is the residence property at 520 West State street which Mr. Black and family expect to occupy early in January.

Farmers State Bank and Trust Co., to Maude Parker, pt. lots 14 and 16 College Hill addition, \$1. This transfer covers the Carriel property at 1152 West College avenue.

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